

AT THE STATE CAPITAL

NO STANDING REWARD FOR TRAIN ROBBERS.

Five Dollars a Day Allowed Sheriff and Possemen—What the Devil Bandits Collected—Thea. and M. College.

Houston Post Bureau, Driskill Hotel, Austin, Texas, December 14.—The impression has prevailed that Governor Hogg has offered a standing reward for the apprehension and conviction of train robbers. This is a mistake. He has notified all the sheriffs that the State will allow \$5 per day to any sheriff and each officer in a posse not to exceed six men, who will endeavor to arrest train robbers. Any expense attending the search or pursuit the governor will meet if applied to. This assurance relieves the officers of any doubt about their actual expenses and insures a speedy preparation and departure after these miscreants.

Governor Hogg is authority for the statement that in all the train robberies in Texas every participant in the crimes have been caught except one. His seems to think the offender will become less frequent in the future.

One of the most amazing features which have followed the incident of the Duval train robbery was the garbled report which some of the Northern papers have made of it.

Mr. Abe Williams, a prominent clothing merchant of Austin, received the Postman a clipping which stated that he sent him from some town in California that account the robbery took place at Duval, on the Texas and Pacific railroad. The train was a canvas ball buyer, and the amount taken from him to \$5000, and Abe Williams was under arrest as one of the robbers. The Postman said that the clipping asked Abe to divide.

The following is a partial list of the passengers robbed on the International and Great Northern train on last Monday, and what they lost:

Horatio Heidenheimer, Austin, one gold watch.

Louis and Nath. Davis, Austin, 5 cents.

A. Sturmer, Austin, —.

M. Sampson, Alvarado, 12.

Sam Loving, Round Rock, 80 cents.

William Rose, St. Louis, 12.

George Williams, San Antonio, 12.

Gustave L. Smith, Dallas, 12.

B. Smith, employee of the Standard and Great Northern, San Antonio, 12.

D. Hollis, Round Rock, 12.

A. Wallace, Rockdale, 12 cents.

R. V. Duly, Round Rock, 12.

J. L. McAdoo, Temple, 12 and gold.

watch and chain.

S. A. Stanford, —.

Frank Davis, San Antonio, gold locket.

John Wheel, Taylor, his revolver.

H. T. Rector, Austin, 20 cents.

George Jennings, Waco, 12.

Charles Warner, Dallas, 12.

P. J. Reed, Marshall, colored, 12.

Charles Hale, colored, train porter, gold.

Watch.

The reason these amounts appear so small is because many of the passengers received them in cash and valuables.

District Attorney Hartman intends prosecution of those men in cold-blooded case of robbery from passenger, which will give a convenient revering to years a half, dozen life sentences.

LIKENED TO WED.

The following marriage licenses were issued for the past week ending yesterday:

Charles Santino and Amanda Christensen, —.

A. B. McDowell and Electra E. John.

John Q. Numbers and Fathina Tompkins, —.

H. B. Brown and Mrs. Francis Vane, —.

Ed. Hoots and Hugh C. Heath.

C. O. Bullock and Mrs. Anna Schumacher, —.

Isidor G. Goss and Adeline Kera.

Wesley Davis and Shirley Jones.

H. L. Wallace and Arlene George.

Charles Knott and Angelina Neumann.

Albert Neumann and Rosa Brueggemann.

Thirty-five licenses have been issued in the first half of the present month.

A. AND M. MARRIAGE:

The board of trustees of the agricultural and mechanical college met at the Texas State Normal School in Waco on Friday night.

The board consists of A. H. Rose, W. R. Clark, J. D. Fields and John.

The main question which will come before the board is the reception of two new farms which have been offered to the college.

Officers have been appointed to receive the farms.

Other matters of interest to the college will be discussed and acted upon.

BOND INVESTMENT COMPANIES:

Commissioner Hartman is in receipt of a letter from Mr. William Foster, secretary of the Texas Cooperative Investment Company of Houston, in which he states that his company has fully determined to take the decision of the attorney general concerning the "Bond Investment Company." The company which he represents was one of the first to begin business in the State of Texas at Denton, for which a home was the home office.

Secretary Foster says in the letter that all agents will be notified and instructed to all persons against any loss.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL:

A. H. Cook of Houston is registered at the Driskill hotel.

The following is the personnel of the San Antonio foot ball team which played today:

Secretary of State George W. Smith left on the morning train for Galveston City, his old home. He will be absent one week.

Judge Frank Morris of the Twenty-sixth judicial district has gone to Galveston for a week's hunt. Accompanying Judge Morris were N. M. and George Walcott.

J. W. Tobin, A. C. Johnson, N. M. Pitts, W. H. Hamill, Jr., H. J. Merritt, E. Rogers, C. V. Goss, T. J. Newton, Steve Butter, P. Richards, Y. Hamilton, S. Phillips, San Antonio.

P. C. Baird, sheriff of Mason county, came in this morning with J. D. Hayburn, whom he arrested in the Chouteau County jail. The prisoner is charged with the larceny of mortgaged property in Mason county.

Sheriff Baird tells of witnessing the escape of notorious burglar Charlie Morris. It is said that Van Hall, a detective of Waco, was on route for Waco on the Missouri Kansas and Texas with the man, who had previously stolen \$10,000 worth of diamonds from Mrs. Tom Padgett, and who had been arrested in Dallas. The prisoner pretended to be sick and to go to the water fountain. The train was moving slowly near Hillside, and Mr. Hall found that his had been captured. The officers of Hill county are scouring the country for him.

Law and Pleasure:

Marietta, Tenn., December 15.—District court, Hon. H. A. Ross presiding, adjourned last Saturday evening at 8 o'clock for a large still docket. The grand jury found some seven or ten bills of indictment, among which were two for murder. The visiting attorney in attendance upon reported Perfumery at Hart's Drug Store.

court were: Hon. J. B. Lane, G. G. Keay, L. W. Dennis, Poote, W. S. Brooks and M. Brown of Wharton, W. S. Anderson of Brazoria, Robert G. West of Austin and George F. E. Pearson and son of Richmond.

Several minor criminal cases were disposed of, but Colonel John Pinckney says that he intends to make matters lively in June for the boys and their innocent clients. During the cold weather were entertained very pleasantly by the ladies and gentlemen of Marietta, who under the auspices of Mrs. Wm. H. Wadeworth and Mrs. H. L. Angley gave two very creditable amateur performances and a grand ball all of which were highly enjoyed by the spectators and gave evidence of much talent still in existence in this ancient city. The contributions were drill dedicated to the memory of the fallen and in honor of the living heroes of Civil War. Sixth regiment of Lexington Confederacy, by their daughters and friends will always be remembered and cherishes vengeance was threatened. The show ever was averted by the active efforts of a few prominent American residents of Marietta. The men, however, have been confined in prison ever since and their trial is expected to take place in a few days.

CORRIGAN TOPICS.

Notes From the Range-Crops Gathered—Indicates Prosperity.

Carrizo, Texas, December 14.—Weather quite warm, with southerly winds and no signs of rain. The crops have been carefully harvested, cotton picking being about over. A slight crop of water syrup has been made in this section and is selling for fair prices. Cotton is coming in rather slowly and very little corn is offered for sale. Nearly all fodder and oats are being held for winter feeding, which is reflected quite an impetus on account of better prices than have been introduced.

The fall of this year, winter wheat and farmers coming and settling from the Eastern States. Quite an increase is noted in the amount of new ground being opened in this section of the state. The number of settlers has increased, and was connected with a hotel in the latter part, prior to his departure for Monterrey. When the news of his arrest and punishment of his crime was published, Corrigan's Texas friends were incredulous that he could possibly be guilty of such an offense.

Corrigan shortly after his arrest wrote a letter to a friend in Dallas, which was given publicity. In this letter he claimed the innocence of any criminal offense and informed of the true character of the man he accompanied to Monterrey, placed in business, and was exonerated by his friends until after he had made his assault upon Buchner, which he (Corrigan) denied.

In this letter he admits that much of Corrigan's conduct has been bad, but was

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